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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is further to the amendment mailed on March 29, 2005. Enclosed is the Declaration under 37 C.F.R. §1.131, signed by Richard B. Lomneth, Ph.D.

It is believed that this application is in condition for allowance. Early notice to this effect is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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Supplemental Response

Executed Declaration under 37 C.F.R. §1.131 and Exhibits A &B

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Please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for a sufficient number of months to enter these papers or any future reply, if appropriate. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2725. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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